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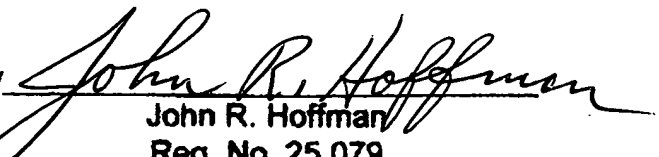
REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

In the Office Action of November 23, 2005, claims 1-16 were pending in the application. Claims 1-10 were allowed. Claims 11-16 were rejected.

By this amendment, claims 11-16 have been cancelled. The application now should be in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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